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In a work session of the DIA in Berlin, held from 18 to 25 October 1952, it was announced that in the future, brown coal briquettes may be bartered for metals, superphosphates, or live cattle. Otherwise, the export of brown coal briquettes will be prohibited except against cash payment of foreign currency, preferably US Dollars.

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